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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action date April 5, 2001 (Paper No. 6). A request for an appropriate extension of time is being submitted on even date herewith. Please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as follows (all of the claims, whether or not amended, are presented below for the convenience of the Examiner):

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